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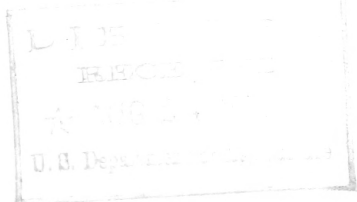
OF  
NURSERY STOCK

BRENNHAM,  
Washington County, Texas

BRENNHAM NURSERY & FRUIT FARM



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## TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS.

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In issuing this catalogue I wish to thank my friends and customers for the liberal patronage extended during the past, and assure them that I shall strive to merit a continuance of same by giving to those who may favor me with orders, the highest quality of fruit and ornamental stock possible to turn out from a nursery establishment.

I do not offer any cheap trees, holding to the opinion that it is better to grow only the best and price it at its value rather than send out low priced inferior stock that is dear to the purchaser at any price. Neither do I offer a lengthy list of fruits and ornamentals, the planting of which would likely result in disappointment and loss to the purchaser, but only such varieties that 25 years experience in the fruit and nursery business in Texas has taught me give best results over the larger portion of the State, in other words, I do not send out any stock I would hesitate to plant myself and believe this to be a rule every nurseryman should strive to live up to.

Sincerely Yours,

W. A. YATES

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## TO CORRESPONDENTS

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All stock sent out is guaranteed to be healthy and true to label, and if upon examination you are not entirely satisfied with goods sent, return at our expense, the purchase price will be refunded and we shall remain good friends.

Always sign name plainly to orders or correspondence.

Give full address and explicit directions for shipping.

Shipping facilities are excellent over both Gulf Colorado and Santa Fe and Houston and Texas Central railroad.

When substitution is allowed other varieties of equal or greater value than those ordered are sent.

On all orders amounting to \$5 or over at list rates express is prepaid.

Terms to unknown parties cash or satisfactory reference with order.

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I N F O R M A T I O N F O R P L A N T E R S

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The ideal soil for all fruits is a well drained sandy loam with red clay subsoil, although most soils may be fitted by the thorough preparation to successfully grow fruits, providing the drainage is good for fruit trees do not like "wet feet."

Some time before planting the ground should be deeply plowed and well pulverized by harrowing the rows then laid off the proper distance apart with turning plow—running the furrow deeply as possible—and holes dug the required depth where the trees are to be placed.

Thrifty one year old trees of medium size are the most desirable and when ready to plant, prune back the roots when ground is levelled, tree will stand just a little depper than when growing in nursery row, fill in around the roots with top soil and firm well tramping.

If soil is dry give one or two buckets of water, when hole is half filled, allow water to soak in about roots, and fill to the top with loose soil.

Cut back tree to 20 or 30 inches above ground to induce low heading.

Scatter five or six shovelfuls manure around each tree and as weeds begin to grow keep clean by constant hoeing and shallow cultivation.

Early maturing crops of vegetables may be planted between the trees the first year or two, after which they should be allowed the exclusive use of ground.

If upon receipt of trees you are not prepared to plant them immediately, unpack at once and heel in moist soil as roots should never be exposed to the air any more than is absolutely necessary.



A Table Showing the Number of Trees or Plants to the Acre.

	Distance		No. of Trees	Distance		No. of Trees
	1 foot apart each way	2 by 3 apart		12 feet apart each way	13 " "	
Apples—Standard	43,560	7,260	302			
Pears — Standard	4,340	14 "	357			
Peaches	2,702	15 "	222			
Plums	1,742	16 "	193			
Grapes—Concord, Herbemont, etc.	1,210	17 "	170			
Scuppernon, and others of the same type, 20 to 30 feet in the row, and the rows 10 to 20 feet apart, according to quality of soil.	888	18 "	150			
Blackberries	680	19 "	134			
Strawberries—for field culture	537	20 "	120			
"	434	25 "	108			
"—for garden culter	360	30 "	69			

RULE—Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant or hill, which, divided in- to the number of feet in an acre (43,560,) will give the number of plants or trees to the acre.

### DISTANCES FOR PLANTING

Apples—Standard	20 feet apart each way
Pears — Standard	20 " "
Peaches	16 to 20 " according to soil
Plums	10 to 15 " apart each way
Grapes—Concord, Herbemont, etc.	10 " "
Scuppernon, and others of the same type, 20 to 30 feet in the row, and the rows 10 to 20 feet apart, according to quality of soil.	" "
Blackberries	1 to 2 by 5 to 7 feet
Strawberries—for field culture	1 by 3 to 3½ feet
"	1 to 2 feet apart

## A P P L E S

This section is not an apple country in the strict sense of the word, but some of the early varieties do fairly well if planted on sandy loam with a good red clay subsoil.

The following list we have found to be the best:

### Red Astrachan

Large; crimson, with heavy bloom; flesh crisp acid and juicy. Ripens in June. Tree vigorous and bears very young.

### Early Harvest

Medium to large; yellow, juicy, tender, of fine flavor. A well-known and popular variety. Ripens in June.

### Yellow Transparent

Of medium size; yellow; productive; excellent. The finest early apple. June.

### Nickajack

Large; yellowish, striped with dull red; firm, tender, juicy; tree prolific, vigorous; popular.

### Shockley

Medium, regular; yellow, striped, firm crisp, sweet; tree erect, vigor-

ous, exceedingly productive and bears young; profitable. September.

### Transcendent

By far the finest of the Crab Apples. Large, beautiful, round; golden yellow, nearly covered with red; crisp and subacid; excellent for eating; bears enormously. July.

### Becker

Originated in Dr. Beckers' orchard near Frelsburg, Colorado Co., seems especially adapted to Southern Texas. Of upright vigorous habit.

Fruit oblate in shape, medium to large in size, highly colored, red with yellow markings. Flesh crisp, juicy, sub-acid, quality the best. Late June and July.

PRICE—Each 25c. Per Dozen \$3.

## P E A R S

We have no pears that are blight proof, but the Kieffer is more resistant than any other variety so far tested, and we therefore recommend it for the more extensive plantings.

### Le Conte

Large to very large, pyriform in shape; skin smooth, pale yellow; when properly handled the quality is good. Early in July. The tree is a remarkably vigorous grower, with luxuriant foliage; extremely prolific and an annual bearer.

### Smith's

Uniformly large and perfect, very smooth and handsome; similar in form and color to the Le Conte; melting and juicy. Smooth creamy texture; quality very good when proper-

ly ripened. Ripens with or just ahead of the Le Conte.

### Garber

Fruit resembles Kieffer in size, appearance and quality, but the tree is more open growth.

### Kieffer

Fruit large to very large; color yellow with bright vermillion cheek, very handsome; flesh very juicy, brittle, a little coarse, but of good quality. September and October. The trees should not be allowed to overbear while they are young, which

they are inclined to do; extremely prolific, and very valuable. Supposed cross between the Chinese Sand and the Bartlett.  
**Early Harvest.**

Of vigorous upright habit. Fruit large golden yellow with red cheek next the sun, quality good. Ripens early in June.

Price. Each 25c. Per doz. \$3.00.

## P E A C H E S

From the many types and varieties of peaches that have been tested in this State, the Northern Chinese group, represented by the Chinese Cling Seedlings, stands prominently forth as the best strain for planting over the larger portions of Texas (The Coast Country excepted) and our list is made up almost exclusively of varieties of this strain.

### Mayflower

Large; well colored; red all over; of fine quality; cling. A very promising variety. Its earliness, high color and excellent quality are strong points in its favor.

### Dwarf Japan Blood

This variety owing to its dwarf nature may be planted 12 or 14 feet apart, and is suitable for planting in city lots or when room is at a premium. Fruit of good size and appearance; fair quality. Blood freestone. May.

### Mamie Ross

The earliest really first-class peach to ripen in this section. Large to very large; white flesh; semi-cling; excellent quality; seedling of Chinese Cling. June.

### Carman

Follows Mamie Ross closely. Fruit large, pale yellow with blush; quality excellent; regular bearer; Chinese strain. Freestone. June.

### General Lee

Fruit large, creamy white, blush cheek; flesh melting juicy, of excellent flavor; very prolific; Chinese cling seedling; clingstone. July.

### Stonewall Jackson

Closely follows General Lee. Fruit large, creamy white, of fine quality; regular bearer; seedling of Chinese cling; clingstone. July.

### Alice Haupt

Fruit large creamy white, red cheek, quality extra fine; regular bearer; Chinese strain; freestone, July.

### Family Favorite

Ripens with Alice Haupt and closely resembles that variety. Very desirable; freestone. July.

### Pallas

Fruit medium size nearly round, flesh white, very fine grained, melting and of excellent quality. Very prolific, freestone, seedling of Honey. Late June.

### Elberta

The best known and most popular Southern peach. Fruit large, yellow, with red cheeks; juicy and highly flavored; very valuable as a commercial variety throughout the larger portion of the southern states. Chinese strain; freestone. July.

### Thurber

Fruit large, white flesh, juicy, somewhat acid; very prolific, reliable bearer; seedling of Chinese Cling. Freestone. July.

### Belle of Georgia

Very large; skin white, with red cheek; flesh white, firm of excellent flavor; fruit uniformly large and showy; free. Rapid grower, prolific. July 1 to 15.

**Cabler's Indian**

Medium size; skin mottled in shades of deep purple; flesh purple, with deeper purple veins; rich subacid; cling; very fine. Of Texas origin, decided Indian type. July 15 to 25.

**Onderdonk**

Large; skin and flesh yellow; very

juicy and sweet. Free. Originated in Texas. Possesses a valuable combination of quality, appearance and productiveness. A good mid-season variety. Last of July.

Price—Each 25c. Per Doz. \$3.00.

**OR N A M E N T A L P E A C H E S****Double Flowering White**

Very desirable early spring bloomer; flowers resemble miniature roses, and are so profuse that the trees are literally buried beneath their wealth of bloom.

**Double Flowering Crimson**

Resembles the above, with the exception of color, which as the names denote, is a beautiful crimson.

Price Each 25c.

**P L U M S**

With the introduction of the Japanese varieties and their valuable crosses, our list of desirable varieties has been largely added to, and from this list we have selected a few that we can recommend as being the best for this and surrounding sections of the State.

**J A P A N E S E P L U M S****Abundance**

Strong upright grower; fruit medium to large, pointed apex; skin is greenish yellow, overlaid with carmine, flesh yellow, juicy, excellent quality; small pit; cling. June.

**Burbank**

Tree of vigorous spreading habit, large foliage; fruit of cherry red color, mottled yellow, globular shape; flesh yellow, firm, sugary; best quality; very desirable. Early July.

**Kelsey**

Tree vigorous upright grower; fruit very large, heart shaped; color greenish yellow, overspread with red-

dish purple; flesh firm, yellow, rich and juicy; adheres slightly to pit, which is small. Late July and August.

**Satsuma**

Vigorous open grower; fruit large, of a dark red color, covered with bluish bloom; shape globular; flesh firm, of a blood color; good quality, pit small. July.

**Wickson**

Tree vigorous grower, fruit very large, somewhat conical, of a purplish crimson color when fully ripe; flesh firm, yellow, juicy, subacid; best quality, cling. July.

## CROSS-BRED PLUMS

**Gonzales**

A Japan variety crossed with Wild Goose. Tree vigorous grower; fruit large, color brilliant red; flesh firm of excellent quality; prolific; very desirable. June. Introduced by F. T. Ramsey, of Austin.

**Holland**

Kelsey, crossed with Lone Star. Tree vigorous; fruit size and shape of Abundance; color, greenish yellow, almost red when fully ripe. Flesh yellow, juicy, of finest quality. June. Originated by D. H. Watson, introduced by ourselves.

**Ragland**

Kelsey, crossed with Yellow Transparent. Tree vigorous, upright grower; fruit medium to large; shape, glo-

bular; color clear golden yellow; flesh yellow, sweet and melting; best quality. June. Originated by D. H. Watson, introduced by ourselves.

**Adele**

Cross between Nona and Abundance, of vigorous habit. Fruit medium to large, color red, splashed with yellow. Flesh yellow, juicy, melting, excellent quality. Ripening in June. Originated and introduced by ourselves.

**Happiness**

A cross between Wild Goose and a Japanese variety. Tree handsome grower with large foliage. Fruit of large red, deep in color, of excellent quality. Very desirable variety introduced by F. T. Ramsey.

## CHICKASAW AND WILD GOOSE TYPE

**Arkansaw Lombard**

Vigorous grower, fruit medium color cherry red when fully ripe; of flesh yellow, juicy, good quality; prolific and regular bearer; very desirable. July.

**Eagle**

Vigorous grower; fruit medium to large; round; bright red color; flesh yellow, sweet and juicy; best quality; prolific and regular bearer; very desirable. June and July. Introduced by Baker Bros., Ft. Worth.

**Wild Goose**

Large; dark red; white bloom; of flesh yellow, fine, juicy and rich. Tree vigorous and productive. Ripens last of June; of much better

quality if ripened in the house; good shipper.

**Nona**

Originated by the late D. H. Watson, named in honor of Mrs. Watson, and introduced by ourselves. We regard this as the most valuable all-round plum in Texas today. For the Nona has made good wherever tested; from the coast, to the extreme northwestern portion of the State we have reports of its splendid qualities. Tree handsome vigorous grower of Wild Goose habit. Fruit large, of a deep red, covered with lilac bloom. Flesh yellow, juicy, sweet, of fine quality. Prolific bearer. Ripens in late June.

PRICE—25c. each. Per doz. \$3.

## M U L B E R R I E S

The mulberry is especially valuable for planting in chicken yards, the fruit being greedily devoured by poultry. It is also an excellent mast for hogs, and every farmer with an eye to the beautiful as well as useful should not fail to plant a few mulberry trees.

### Downing

Tree handsome, vigorous grower. Fruit of large size, sweet and very desirable.

### Hicks

Tree vigorous, very prolific.

### New American

Vigorous grower, prolific, bearing

fruit, a longer season than any other variety.

### Russian

Excellent for shade, being a rapid, - handsome grower.

PRICE—Each 40c. Per Doz. \$4.00.

## G R A P E S

Our list of grapes is constantly being added to by the introduction of valuable new varieties. We are indebted to Professor T. V. Munson for many of the best—especially adapted to Texas by the process of hybridizing however, one must be prepared to fight the black rot by constant spraying. The grape is no longer the lazy man's fruit, but demands constant attention. If this be given, the reward is generous.

### Agawam

Vigorous grower, large dark red berry, of excellent flavor. Very desirable.

### Black Spanish

Very vigorous grower, cluster large, berry small, black, good wine grape.

### Brilliant

(Munsons.) Vigorous grower and cluster very large, berry large, globular; light red with bloom; quality excellent; very desirable for table.

Price—Each 30c. Per doz. \$3.

### Carman

(Munsons.) Vigorous grower and cluster very large and shouldered, berry of good size, round black. Quality fine. The best black table grape for this section. Price each 30c. Per doz. \$3.

### Catawba

Vigorous grower. Cluster and berry large, dark red; quality fine. Very desirable.

### Concord

Well known and popular variety; planted largely for commercial purposes; berry large, black, good quality. Desirable.

### Diana

Free grower, cluster large, berry medium; light red, excellent table grape. Very desirable.

### Duchess

Large cluster, medium berry, color greenish white, best quality. Fine for table. Very desirable.

### Herbemont

Well known and popular variety. Vigorous grower, large cluster, berry medium; purple; fine quality, good for table, excellent wine grape. Very desirable.

### Niagara

Large cluster and berry; white; excellent table grape, successful over a large portion of the South. Very desirable.



**Rommel**

(Munson's.) Cluster medium shouldered; berry large, yellow, of excellent quality; fine for table, ought to be in every home vineyard. Price—Each 30c. Per doz. \$3.  
**Scuppernong**

Vigorous grower, muscadine type.

Cluster small, berry large, of a bronze color when fully ripe quality excellent. Does not bear unless fertilized with native muscadine.

PRICE—Each (except where quoted) 20c. Per doz. \$2.

## J A P A N P E R S I M M O N S.

This delicious fruit is rapidly coming in favor with the South Texas orchardists, and promises great things for commercial planting. The Northern markets are demanding Japan persimmons in ever increasing quantities, and to meet this demand wide awake fruit growers are yearly making more extensive plantings. The regular and heavy bearing qualities of the persimmon are beginning to be appreciated, and risks from a failure of the crop as compared with many other fruits, very small.

**Yemon**

This variety stands at the head of the list for commercial purposes in Texas, and as a money maker is ahead of any fruit with which we are acquainted in this section of the State. Tree of vigorous open habit, fruit large, tomato-shaped, with color varying from orange yellow to dull red; flesh when fruit is seedless of an orange color, but specimens containing seed have much darker flesh. Must be soft ere edible. Commence to ripen in September, but many specimens remain on trees until November. If gathered while still firm, may be kept in the house from four to eight weeks. Quality, when free from astringency, excellent.

**Costata.**

Vigorous upright grower with large foliage; fruit medium size conical. Color varies from light yellow to red. Flesh yellow, almost seedless. Astringent until soft, then of good quality.

**Tane-Nashi**

Tree free grower. Fruit large, roundish symmetrical, sometimes conical and pointed. Flesh yellow, seedless, and of fine quality. Not edible until soft.

**Tsuru**

Tree of vigorous habit; fruit long and slender, color red, flesh orange, with darker streaks. Not edible until quite soft.

**Hayakume**

Tree full grower; fruit large, roundish, oblong; color dark yellow marked with darker rings at apex. Flesh brown, sweet and crisp, somewhat seedy. May be eaten while still hard.

**Hashiya**

Tree vigorous and handsome grower. Fruit large, oblong, sometimes conical, color dark red, with darker rings at apex. Flesh yellow, with brown streaks when seedy. Quality excellent; must be soft ere edible.

PRICE—Each 25c. Per doz. \$3.00.

### F I G S

This desirable fruit is now being planted quite largely for commercial purpose in the Southern portion of the State, and has proven quite profitable where the winters are mild and the rainfall ample.

#### Angelique

good quality. Prolific.

Vigorous grower; fruit large yellow, good quality. Prolific.

#### Brunswick

Vigorous grower; fruit very large, of good quality; color dark purple when fully ripe.

#### Celestial

The hardiest and most prolific fig PRICE—Each 25c. Per doz. \$3.

### P O N D E R O S A L E M O N

Tree of vigorous habit with large foliage produces lemons of immense size and good quality, but too tender to stand more than two or three degrees of frost. Very desirable for growing in tubs, when they may be taken in the house during the cold weather.

PRICE—50c to \$1 each, \$5 to \$10 per doz.

### S A T S U M A O R A N G E

For the past five years we have fruited the Satsuma oranges in our nurseries and have been agreeably surprised at the hardness and good bearing qualities shown by this really remarkable variety. When budded on Citrus Trifoliata stock, the Satsuma remains dormant through the entire winter. In this condition it can successfully withstand 12 to 13 degrees of frost.

Tree rather dwarf grower with spreading habit. Fruit medium size somewhat flattened. Rind easily separated from flesh and segments divide without breaking. Thus making it very desirable for eating out of hand. Flesh fine grained juicy and sweet, entirely seedless.

PRICE—Each 75c. Per Dozen \$8.00

### P O M E G R A N A T E S

#### Purple Seeded or Spanish Ruby

Large Yellow with crimson cheek meat purplish-crimson, sweet and of best quality.

#### Sub-Acid

Medium to large, dull red on yel-

low ground; meat sub-acid, and much esteemed in the preparation of cooling beverages.

25 cents each. \$3.00 per dozen.



## BLACK BERRIES

### Dallas

Vigorous grower, prolific; berry large, fine quality, firm, good shipper.

### McDonald Berry

Large, tender, juicy, of best qual-

ity. Earliest, hardiest, vigorous and productive. This is a new berry, a cross between the Blackberry and the Dewberry. It stands up like a Blackberry and "tips" like a Dewberry.

## DEWBERRIES

### Austin Mayes

Large berry, of excellent quality when fully ripe, rather soft, however, and not suited for long distance shipment, but fine for home market.

### Rodgers

Vigorous grower and the earliest berry we have in this section. Berry large, excellent quality, good shipper, very desirable.

Price—Per doz. 35c. per 100, \$2.

## STRAWBERRIES

Best varieties, \$1.00 per 100, \$8.00 per 1,000.

## NUT-BEARING TREES

### GRAFTED PECANS

Since seedlings seldom reproduce themselves, it is satter to get grafted trees of some good variety.

#### Stuart

Nuts of very large size, 1 3-4 to 2 inches long, oblong with brownish shell strongly marked with dark color. Shell of medium thickness and of very good cracking quality. Kernel full, plump, bright colored. In quality, one of the best, the flavor being rich and sweet. A heavy bearer.

Tree a strong grower, reaching an immense size, with large foliage.

#### Van Deman

Large to very large 7-8 to 2 1-8 inches long, rather slender, pointed at both ends. Color reddish brown with purplish brown markings. Shell of medium thickness.

PRICE—\$1 each. Per doz. \$10.00.

## JAPAN WALNUT

Japan Walnuts in appearance of foliage resemble other Walnuts. The trees grow low and spreading, and assume a very handsome round head. The trees make more rapid growth than any of the Walnut or Hickory family, and are nicely adapted for yard or roadside planting. The leaves are of immense size and a charming shade of green.

**Walnut, Japan, Sieboldi**

Perfectly hardy, and rapid grower, handsome form, immense leaves; bears young and abundantly; one of the finest ornamental trees. Nuts produced in clusters; resembles the Butternut in shape and quality; but smaller with smooth and thinner shell. Worthy of expensive planting.

50c. each. Per doz. \$5.

**Walnut, Japan, Max Cordiformis**

Differs from Sieboldi in form of nuts, which are broad-pointed, flat-

tened, resembling somewhat shell-bark hickory.

50c. each. Per doz. \$5.

**Walnut, Black**

A native tree of large size and majestic form, beautiful foliage. The most valuable of all trees for its timber, which enters largely into manufacture of fine furniture and cabinet ware, and brings the highest price in market. Tree a rapid grower.

50c. each. Per doz. \$5.

**S H A D E T R E E S****Catalpa Speciosa**

Very hardy, does well in the driest place, and with its large glossy heart shaped leaves and large clusters of flowers of white tinged with purple, makes a beautiful shade tree for the streets or walks.

**MAPLE****Silver-Leaved**

Makes a beautiful tree; rapid of growth.

**OAK****Pin**

(*Quercus palustris*). One of the most beautiful oaks, with symmetrical conical head and short, spreading branches. The leaves are bright green becoming red in fall, five to seven lobed. In moist soil it grows rapidly.

**Scarlet**

(*Quercus coccinea*). A medium-sized Oak, with rounded open head. The leaves are very large usually with seven wide deep lobes. They turn bright scarlet in autumn. It will grow well on rather dry soil.

**POPLARS****Carolina**

(*Populus Carolinensis*.) A very

rapid-growing tree well adapted to moist soils, seashore locations and where a quick-growing tree is required. Leaves large shining, tapering.

**Lombardy**

(*P. nigra Italica*). A straight upright-growing tree of striking appearance. The leaves are small or medium-sized, dark green with flattened petioles. Valuable because of its odd habit of growing.

**Maiden Hair Tree**

(*Adiantifolia*). One of the most beautiful of lawn trees. A native of Japan. Of medium size, rapid growth and rich, glossy fern-like foliage. Rare and elegant.

**Red Bud**

A small tree, 20 to 30 feet high, with rounded handsome leaves, producing an abundance of showy, rosy pink flowers in early. Grows best on rather moist soil.

**Sweet Gum**

A rapid growing native tree, with rather narrow symmetrical conical head. Branches often corky winged. The leaves are bright green five to seven-pointed; in autumn they are colored in brilliant shades of red and crimson.

**Tulip**

(*Liriodendron tulipifera*). An ornamental tree of upright, pyramidal shape and rapid growth. The foliage is bluntly four-lobed, bright bluish green, and turning bright yellow in autumn. The flowers are light greenish yellow, marked with deep orange, tulip-shaped. A very handsome tree of clean growth, free from insects and diseases, and one of the most desirable for avenue, park and lawn planting.

**Sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*)**

A fast growing and good shade tree. Makes a remarkably quick growth. Recommended wherever shade is

needed immediately.

**Umbrella China**

A medium-sized tree, with flat umbrella-like top. Foliage finely divided, dark green, casting a dense shade and is a very desirable shade tree.

**Sterculia Platanifolia (Varnish tree; Japan Parasol.)**

A very desirable shade tree of rapid growth. Large panicles of yellowish white flowers in June. Leaves large, bark very smooth and green. Fine trees for bee pasture. Height 40 to 50 feet.

PRICE—Each 50c. Per doz. \$5.00.

## D E C I D I O U S F L O W E R I N G S H R U B S

For yard decoration a collection of the more desirable hardy flowering shrubs are not surpassed for the wealth of bloom furnished during our early Spring months, and later, when the heat of Summer cuts off the supply of flowers from many of our more delicate blooming plants. We list these varieties we have found most desirable in this locality.

**Althea Frutex**

These beautiful flowering shrubs are well worthy of more extensive cultivation, and deserve a place in every collection of hardy flowers.

**Elegantissima**

Double white, tinged with pink or purple; very hardy; profuse bloomer, covered with flowers during our driest weather.

**Alba Plena (Double White)**

Very free summer bloomer. Vigorous habit.

**Coerulea Plena (Double Blue)**

Beautiful variety. Free bloomer. Dwarf grower.

**Duchess de Brabant (Double Red)**

Flowers very durable, attractive; one of the best varieties dwarf growers.

**Rosca Plena (Double Blush)**

Very desirable variety. Dwarf grow-

er.

**Meehannii (New Variagated leaved Althea.)**

The best of the variegated leaved Althea's. Flowers large, single, light lavender in color, and produced in the greatest abundance.

## C Y D O N I A J A P O N I C A

**Japan Quince.**

Bright scarlet crimson; flowers in great profusion.

**CHILOPISIS (FLOWERING WILLOW)****Linearis**

A tall-growing shrub from southwest Texas. Leaves linear; flowers lilac; very slow in terminal racemes. Each flower is composed of a corolla like tube divided at the end into five lobes nicely crimped. Blooms almost continually from spring until

frost.

*Linearis Alba*

Similar to the above, but white Flowers, and of more dwarf and compact growth.

### DEUTZIA

*Deutza Crenata*

Very desirable free blooming shrub. Flowers formed in clusters, color white tinged with pink. Summer bloomer.

*Deutzia Fortuni*

Resembles *D. Crenata*, but flowers are pure white. Very handsome and desirable. Summer bloomer.

*Forsythia (Golden Bell)*

*Viridissima*

Flowers golden yellow, produced in great profusion last of February or early March. Most effective when planted in large groups.

*Hydrangea Paniolata Grandiflora.*

Produces in July immense panicles of pure white flowers, which last for several weeks: a most valuable shrub. A large bed of this plant makes a most striking appearance. This shrub should be grown in rich ground and cut back severely during winter. It will then produce magnificent flowered heads.

*Lagerstroemia (Crape Myrtle)*

This old favorite is not sufficiently appreciated. The plant blooms throughout the entire summer, producing great masses of beautifully fringed flowers. A clump of these makes a most striking effect on the lawn.

**Purple**

A grand sort producing immense clusters of flowers of a rich purple color.

**Scarlet**

Of handsome growth; a bright showy plant with large bunches of scarlet flowers.

**Pink**

Very desirable variety. Vigorous and free-blooming.

**White**

A pure white form with large clusters of flowers, very free-blooming.

(New Dwarf). Beautiful light blue flowers borne in the greatest profusion when plants are six inches high. A valuable addition to our list of flowering shrubs.

*Lavender Shrub (Vitex Agnus-Castus)*

Known also as sage tree and Chaste Tree. Grows freely and produces bluish flowers all through the summer. Leaves and flowers very aromatic; blooms in summer.

### LILAC

*Persia*

(Persian Lilac)—Purple.

*Persica Alba*

Persian, white.

### LONICERA

(Bush or Upright Honeysuckle)

*Bella*

A hybrid variety producing an abundance of pinkish white flowers in early spring followed by yellow fruit.

*Belgica*

bush form. Pink flowers; very profuse (Belgian Honeysuckle). Of climbing habit, but can easily be grown in bush form. Pink flowers; very profuse bloomer in early spring. In late summer again produces flowers which continue until winter.

*Fragrantissima*

Highly esteemed for its exceedingly sweet-scented, pinkish white flowers, which appear in February and continue to bloom for a long time.

*Morrowii*

A valuable Japanese variety, producing in early April a profusion of

white flowers, followed by a mass of bright red fruit.

#### **Ruprechtiana**

A fine variety. Especially valuable for its showy red fruit. Blooms in March, lasting four weeks.

#### **Magnolia Purpurea**

A very hardy deciduous variety, requiring no protection here. Flowers purple outside and white within; begins to bloom in early spring and continues to flower at intervals throughout the year, depending on rain. 75 cents.

#### **Philadelphus**

##### **Coronarius (Garland Syringa)**

A fine old shrub of medium size, that blooms among the earliest of the family, in very graceful sprays. Its large white flowers are delightfully scented. May.

##### **Grandiflorus**

The most vigorous species of the group. Its long, irregular branches are clustered with snow white flowers in June.

##### **Plumbago**

#### **Capensis**

A plant worthy of more general cultivation; producing large trusses of delicate azure blue flowers. Excellent for bedding out in summer or growing in pots for single specimen plants

##### **CapensisA Ika**

Equally as desirable as *Plumbago Capensis* and identical in every respect but color, which in this variety is beautiful creamy white.

##### **Punus Pissardi (Purple Leaved Plum)**

A distinct and handsome little tree covered with a mass of small, white, single flowers in spring; later, with snowy pinkish purple leaves that deepen in color to the end of the season. A unique lawn ornament at all times of the year.

##### **Punica Granatum (Pomegranate)**

These are among our most valuable summer flowering, tall growing shrubs, perfectly hardy South. Their flowers are produced in great profusion and make a conspicuous contrast with the dark glossy green foliage.

## S P I R A E A

#### **Double Flowered**

(*Spiraea prunifolia* fl. pl.). Bridal Wreath of the Northern and Eastern states. Blooms before the leaves appear in spring, the stems being covered with little, daisy-like flowers; fine, hardy and free-growing. All the *Spiraeas* are the same in this respect.

##### **S. Reevesiana**

(Reeves' Single *Spiraea*.) Produces large clusters of single white flowers which cover the entire plant. A very desirable early spring bloomer

##### **S. Reevesiana Flore Pleno**

(*S. Cantonensis Flore Pleno*.) With large round clusters of double white flowers, which cover the entire plant. A most desirable early spring

bloomer. Commences to bloom latter part of March and continues for several weeks, one of the best.

##### **S. Thunbergii**

**COMMON SNOW GARLAND.** A beautiful dwarf variety, with many slender branches, forming a dense bush. The leaves, in autumn assume brilliant shades of orange and scarlet. Profuse bloomer in early spring. Desirable for a low hedge. 15 to 18 inches.

##### **S. Van Houttei**

(*Van Houte's Spiraea*). A graceful shrub growing 6 to 8 feet in height. Produces a profusion of single white flowers during the latter part of March. Deservedly one of the most popular *Spiraeas* grown.

**Billard's (S. Billardii)**

Blooms all summer, producing long spikes of pink flowers.

**Dwarf (S. Callosa Alba)**

A dwarf kind, with white flowers; nearly everblooming.

**S. Anthony Waterer**

(Crimson Spiraea.) An improvement upon S. Bumaldii. A remarkable free-flowering shrub with upright

branches. Attains a height of about three feet. Leaves bright green, with frequent variegations of yellow. If blooms are cut off as soon as they begin to fade, the plant will bloom throughout the entire season. Makes a beautiful low-growing hedge.

Price unless otherwise quoted 25c. Each \$2.50 per doz.

**ORNAMENTAL GRASSES**

(All Hardy in This Latitude.)

These are very effective for bedding purposes. All are exceedingly graceful and have large, plummy heads. When planted in masses or groups their great value is brought out.

**E. Variegata (Striped Eulalia.)**

A variegated hardy grass from Japan. In appearance it somewhat resembles the ribbon grass while in a young state. It forms compact clumps 6 feet in diameter. Its flower stalks are very graceful and numerous, and we highly recommend it as a very ornamental grass.

**E. Zebrina.**

(Zebra-Striped Eulalia.) Similar in habit to above, but with its leaves blotched with gold. The stripe, instead of running longitudinally, like the former, runs across the leaf.

**GYNERIUM****Pampas Grass**

*Gynerium Argenteum.*

(White pampas Grass.) With silvery plume-like spikes of flowers. An old favorite.

**G. Elegan**

(White Pampas Grass.) New Plumes silvery white, upon very long stems; blooms early.

*Arundo donax Variegata.*

A strong-growing grass. Stems 8 to 12 feet high. Leaves large, green with stripes of creamy white. Plumes large and showy. Very hardy.

Strong Clumps 50c. each. \$5 per doz

**MEXICAN EVER BLOOMING TUBE ROSE.**

We find this to be the most beautiful and useful Tuberose we have ever tried to grow. It blooms continuously, beginning in June and continuing till frost, and the flowers are very fragrant. Any one can grow them. All they require is that they be well watered during the extremely warm weather. This flower will keep a week after being cut, and can be shipping long distances with good success. The bulbs can be left in the ground during the winter in the southern part of the state. Where the weather is very cold they should



be dug up and put away in a cellar or some place where they will not freeze. Every bud blooms and they increase enormously. Our customers, every one, are advised to get some of these bulbs this season, and we feel sure that they will all say, when they begin to bloom in the summer, that it is the best investment that they have ever made in the flower line.

PRICE—\$2.00 per one hundred. \$5.00 Per one thousand.

### HEDGE PLANTS

#### Privet

(Ligustrum.) The Privet are among the most valuable hedge plants for the South. Can be kept trimmed in any desired form.

#### Amoor River (L. Amurense.)

Light green leaves; evergreen; flowers of white. One of the finest and most popular hedge plants, both North and South, and also desirable for planting as single specimens in grounds and parks.

#### Privet California (L. ovaliforum.)

A well-known hedge plant; is a vigorous grower. Half evergreen; flowers white. Price each 20c. \$5.00 per 100.

#### Citrus Trifoliata

Hardy variety of Lemon. The grandest hedge plant for Texas. It grows to a height of 10 to 12 feet, is very bushy and thorny. Blooms profusely in March and retains its bright, golden fruit until late in the fall. Bushy plants. 3 to 5 feet, 25c. each \$5 per 100. 1 to 3 feet, 10c. each. \$5 per 100. \$25 per 1000.

#### Hedge Rose

A remarkably strong growing hardy rose, blooming freely in the early spring, does not succor and may be trimmed to any shape desired. Very valuable. Price per 10 \$1.00. Per 100, \$5. Per 1000, \$30.

### HARDY ORNAMENTAL CLIMBING VINES.

#### Akebia Quinata. (A Climber.)

Producing flowers in large clusters, of chocolate purple color, possessing most delicious perfume; unsurpassed for covering trellises and verandas, the foliage never being attacked by insects.

### AMPELOPSIS

#### Veitchi (Boston Ivy)

This is one of the finest climbers we have for covering walls as it will cling firmly to the smoothest surface, covering it with over-lapping foliage, giving it the appearance of be-

ing shingled with green leaves. The color is a fresh deep green in summer, changing to the brightest shade of crimson and yellow in autumn. It is hardy and becomes more popular every year.

#### Quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper)

A native vine of rapid growth, with large, luxuriant foliage, which in the autumn takes on the most gorgeous coloring.

### ENGLISH IVY

A splendid evergreen climber, with dark glossy green leaves; clings

firmly to stone or brick walls, without trellis or support, covering them closely with its splendid foliage; is very desirable.

**Clematis Paniculata Grandiflora.**

Handsome foliage Flowers white, Star shaped. Fragrant. Blooms late summer and fall.

**Lonicera (Honeysuckle.)**

L. Brachypoda-aureo-reticulata. Foliage golden netted, very handsome, desirable.

**L. Belgic (Belgian)**

Flowers Pink. Profuse bloomer, fragrant.

**L. Coccinea**

The well known scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle.

**L. Halleana (Halls Japan)**

Vigorous, ever green. Flowers of

white, very fragrant.

**Wistaria Sinensis**

Fine vigorous grower. Producing beautiful racemes of light purple flowers, early in Spring.

**Wistaria Sinensis Alba**

Resembles the preceeding, but has pure white blossoms. Very handsome and desirable.

**Rhynchospermum, (Malayan Jessamine.)**

A very beautiful, hardy and rapid-growing evergreen climber, producing from April until July fragrant white flowers. When in full bloom this plant is most conspicuous.

Price each 25c. Per doz. \$2.50.

**B R O A D L E A F E V E R G R E E N T R E E S A N D S H R U B S**

**Abelia Rupestris**

Foliage small, glossy, flowers of pale pink. Tubular. Constant bloomer. Price each 50c. \$5 per doz.

**Camphor (Cinnamomum Camphora)**

This is a handsome evergreen with bright, shiny leaves. Will do well on poor soil, but of course, will make a more satisfactory growth when properly fertilized. It is being planted in large quantities for the production of gum camphor of commerce. Price 50c, each \$5 per doz.

**Cerasus Caroliniana (Wild Peach)**

Vigorous handsome grower. Foliage bright, glossy, very attractive. Desirable as specimens or for massing as a wind break. Price 40c per 10 \$3.

**Common Box (Buxus sempervirens)**

The common Tree Box evergreen, and nice for gardens.

**Eriobotrya Japonica (Loquat; Japan Medlar; Biwa of the Japanese.)**

Trees of medium height, with a long, glossy evergreen leaf; flowers white, in spikes, and produced in winter; fruit of the size of the Wild Goose Plum; round or oblong; bright yellow and produced in clusters; subacid and refreshing. Maturity from end of February to April. Price each 50c. \$5 per doz.

**EUONYMOUS**

**Euonymus Aurea Variegata. (Golden Euonymous.)**

A beautiful variety of this popular plant, with leaves variegated green and gold. A very striking plant.

**E. Japonica (Evergreen Euonymous)**

Leaves dark shining green. A fine plant for the lawn. Succeeds in almost any situation. Price 50c. \$5 per doz.



**Fragrant Olive (Alea Fraganus)**

A beautiful little shrub, very sweet scented; hardy; flowers after every rain during the summer and fall, very desirable. Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Gardenia (Cape Jessamine)**

This well known deservedly popular shrub is one of the most desirable for yard decoration in our entire evergreen list needs protection however when thermometer falls below 15 degrees.

Price 50c each. Per 10 \$4.

**Illisium (the Anise Tree)**

(East India Anise Tree.) A handsome vergreen with broad leaves, which when bruised, emit an anise fragrance. Very desirable.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Laurel**

**SPICE (Laurus nobilis).** Sometimes called Bay Laurel. Leaves have a spicy fragrance; a pretty bush, sometimes attains the proportions of a small tree.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Magnolia Fuscata (Banana Shrub)**

A most desirable evergreen shrub; hardy South, but for conservatories North. The brownish yellow flowers, which appear in early spring emit a delightful banana fragrance.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Magnolia Grandiflora**

Large, shining leaves and sweetly scented, white flowers. Known all over the south. Grandest of southern trees.

Prices each 50c to \$1. \$5 to \$10, per dozen.

**LIGUSTRUM****(Privet)****Exelsum Superbum**

Tall growth, leaves beautifully variegated; stands the summer to per-

fection. An excellent new plant. We can recommend this. Strong grafted plants very bushy.

**L. Japonium**

(Japan Privet.) A beautiful, broad leaved variety. Foliage dark green, with panicles of white flowers, followed by purple berries. Can be grown into a small tree and trimmed in pyramidal, standard or other forms.

**Marginatum Aureum**

A vigorous growing variety, with large leaves, beautifully margined with yellow. Stands the sun well. A desirable variety.

**L. Nepalense**

(Nepaul Privet). Resembles the Japanese Privet but of dwarf and compact growth and leaves somewhat smaller. A desirable variety in every respect.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Nattam Plant (Nandina Domestica)**

A desirable Chinese evergreen with fern-like leaves and terminal panicles of whitish flowers; does well here.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Oleanders (Nerium)**

We have a fine stock of the White Pink and Crimson single and double varieties; blooms through entire summer.

Price each 75c. \$5 per doz.

**Osmanthus (Holly-Leaved Tea Olive)**

A beautiful evergreen shrub with dark green spiny-toothed leaves resembling the Holly. Delightfully fragrant flowers produced in the fall in great profusion. These trees attain a height of 25 to 30 feet. Very attractive. Hardy at New York.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Pittasporum Tobria**

One of the finest evergreens. It bears a wealth of bloom in spring, grows densely, and may be pruned

into any shape.

Price each 75c. \$6.00 per doz.

**Quercus (The Oak)**

(*Quercus Sempervirens*. Live Oak.)

The native Live oak of the South. We offer a fine lot of transplanted trees. This tree is very difficult to transplant, therefore it should be defoliated and the side branches severly cut back.

Price 50c. to \$1 each. \$5 to \$10 per doz.

**Sweet Myrtle (*Myrtus Communis*)**

A beautiful evergreen, with spice-

scented leaves and round, ball-like, white flowers; dainty and sweet. We have a fine lot of young plants.

Price each 50c. \$5 per doz.

**Thea Bohea (Chinese Tea Plant)**

The true Assam Tea plant. The leaves of which are used for making the tea of commerce. This beautiful shrub produces during the winter large white flowers with wooly antlers, which have the resemblance of single cameias. A very desirable, low-growing, broad-leaved evergreen.

Price each 50c. \$5 per doz.

## CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS

**Arborvitae or Biota**

These beautiful evergreens can be utilized in many ways, and are always satisfactory. Desirable for lining avenues or planted as individual specimens. Very ornamental.

**Aurea nana**

Forms an exceedingly compact, well rounder head. Beautiful greenish yellow foliage. A perfect gem for gardens or grounds where trees of only shrub-like dimensions are wanted. One of the most satisfactory of all.

Price 75c. \$8 per doz.

**Pyramidalis**

This variety is of very upright growth, branches drawn close together. Foliage beautiful light greenish color. A very desirable variety for planting at ends of walks or terminal of hedges.

Price 75c. \$8 per doz.

**B. Aurea Conspicua**

Erect grower. Foliage intense gold which is retained throughout the entire season. Price 75c.

**Biota Aurea (Golden Arborvitae)**

Compact, rather dwarf grower. Foliage golden tinted. Very handsome decorative evergreen. Price each 75c.

**B. Orientalis (Chinese Arborvitae)**

Vigorous open grower. Very desirable for planting where large hedges and windbreaks are required. Price each 50c. Per 10 \$4.

**Rosedale Hybrid**

Very handsome, uniform and compact grower. Foliage feathery, of a light green color. Very hardy and desirable, originated on the Rosedale Nurseries. Price each 50c. Large size 75c.

## CEDRUS

(Cedar)

**Cedrus Atlantica. (Mt. Atlas Cedar.)**

A large and stately tree and very hardy similar to *Cedrus Deodora*, but foliage more compact and of a darker green.

**Cedrus Deodora**

(Indian Cedar). A cone bearing tree introduced from the Himalayan mountains. Of pyramidal form, and reaching immense proportions. Foliage a beautiful shade of bluish green. This tree is well adapted throughout the southern states and makes an exceedingly handsome lawn specimen.

Price each 50c. \$5 per doz.

**Cedrus Lebani (Cedar of Lebanon)**

This variety is the cedar of sacred history and attains large size although rather slow grower while young. Foliage dark green. Tree is well adapted to the south.

Price 75c. \$8.00 per doz.

**Cupressus (Cypress)**

**C. Sempervirens** *Pyramidalis*. Oriental or Italian Cypress. This well known and popular conifer is most desirable where a formal effect is desired. It is of compact and shaft-like habit; ultimate height, 60 to 80 feet.

**Sempervirens Royalli or Whiteyana**

The most shaft-like of the group. Forms a main stem from which the short and small branches radiate. Price each 75 cents.

**CRYPTOMERIA****Japanese Cedar**

**Cryptomeria Japonica.** (Japanese Ce-

dar.)

A great favorite in Japan, attains a height of 100 or more feet. Of graceful and rapid growth. Regular, pyramidal habit, the foliage somewhat resembles that of the Norfolk Island Pine; hardy in New England in sheltered positions. Price each 75c.

**JUNIPER****J. Squamata**

(Scaly-Leaved Juniper. A trailing variety of great merit; foliage dark green. A most valuable plant for rockeries or where a trailing effect is desired.

**J. Virginiana**

Our native Red Cedar. Well-known can be trimmed for hedges or makes a fine shade tree. Each 50c. \$5 per doz.

**R O S E S**

The growing of grafted and budded roses is our specialty.

We are enabled to grow first class roses primarily, because we have the right grafting stock—a stock that does not succor, it withal extra vigorous and hardy, and suited to a variety of soils and climatic conditions.

Nearly all the grafted and budded roses sent out are worked either on Madam Plantier, Rosa canina, or Manchtti stocks, which succor badly and are for this reason a constant source of annoyance. We guarantee all roses sent out by us not to succor, an item one can't afford to overlook in placing an order for grafted stock.

There is no longer any question as to the superiority of many of the finer roses when grown on vigorous hardy stocks, over those grown on their own roots; and we are glad to note that many lovers of fine roses, who have sent north goodly sums of money for the small greenhouse rooted cuttings—that by any stretch of imagination can hardly be called plants—are beginning to buy the large grafted field grown bushes, thoroughly acclimated, and ready to furnish—if given some attention—a wealth of bloom the first season after planting.

Roses respond generously to liberal fertilizing and careful cultivation, and choice flowers may not be expected unless given food wherewith to produce them. Hence annual dressings of rotted barnyard manure should be applied.

The finest roses are grown on young vigorous shoots, these kind of growths are best obtained by cutting back a portion of the old wood in March, experience having taught us this to be the best time to prune the rose in this section, an exception must be made however to the climbing varieties which require but little pruning, no more than to remove the surplus wood and keep them within bounds.

Don't be disappointed if your first crop of blooms (after transplanting) do not come up to expectation, as the bushes grow and get larger the blossoms will regain their normal size. As a preventative of mildew scatter powdered sulphur over the bushes while wet with dew.

Grafted roses may be planted deeper than those on their own roots, the point of union between stock and scion should be covered at least several inches.

When transplanted the bushes should be cut back to several inches above ground, no matter how large they may be, and afterwards protected by a light covering of litter of leaves, this treatment will induce a vigorous growth in the spring, and losses caused by the shock of transplanting will be reduced to a minimum.

The list of varieties we catalogue are those we have found by experience to be the best for this section of the country, combining hardiness with constitutional vigor, and free blooming qualities.

We have divided the varieties into several classes to which each belong, and have made our descriptions as brief as possible, avoiding all exaggeration and overpraise.

### B E N G A L R O S E S .

These are constant bloomers and very showy, effective for massing and planting in groups, but blooms are not lasting and quickly shatter.

#### Agrippina

Firey red, double profuse bloomer.

#### Louis Phillippi

Dark crimson velvety.

#### Queen's Scarlet

Rich, velvety scarcelt, profuse bloomer, the best of its class.

### B O U R B O N R O S E S

#### Hermisa

Beautiful clear pink, full and fragrant, profuse bloomer very hardy.

#### Red Malmaison

Light red, very durable and well formed. Showy and profuse bloomer, very hardy and desirable.

#### Souvenir de la Malmaison

Creamy flesh, very large double fragrant and lasting, the best of its class, hardy.

#### White Malmaison

(Crown Princess Victoria.) Large full, snowy white; firm petals; heavy green foliage.

## P O L A N T H A   R O S E S

Dwarf, bushy shrubs, with very double, fragrant flowers, produced in large and profuse clusters. They are often the most successfully used as hedge plants or for bordering garden beds. They require rather severe pruning in spring in order to perpetuate a leafy, floriferous growth. They are relatively hardy, but require protection in very cold climates.

### Baby Rambler

Crimson-red; flowers borne in great profusion in broad clusters, throughout the season. Forms a compact bush about 2 feet high.

### Catherine Zeimet, the Double White

#### Baby Rambler

This is surely a beauty and a great addition to the Baby Ramblers, grows to a height of 20 inches and produces double pure white flowers in abundance.

### Phyllis (Pink Baby Rambler.)

Pretty, bright, carmine-pink; very bushy and of branching habit, producing long, feathery panicles of flowers

from June until frost.

### Clothilde Sopert

Ivory white, shading towards the center to silvery rose; flowers freely produced in clusters throughout the season. A grand free-flowering variety.

### Etoile d'Or

Pale yellow, changing to rosy red at the center; flowers full and very double, borne in large clusters.

### Marie Pavie

Creamy white flushed with rose, full and double, borne in great profusion in broad clusters; delightfully perfumed.

## C L I M B I N G   T E A S .   C L   H Y B R I D   T E A S   A N D N O I S E T T E S .

### Cloth of Gold

Vigorous growers pale yellow, very full and attractive, remarkably free bloomer.

### Climbing Malmaison

Identical with Malmaison, vigorous climber, very desirable.

### Climbing Marie Guillot

Or Pres. Cleveland, vigorous. Flowers pure white, large and full. Profuse bloomer. Very attractive.

### Climbing Meteor

Dark, velvety crimson. Very fine. Profuse bloomer, a grand rose.

### Climbing Kaiserin

or (Mrs. Robert Peary.) Vigorous, hardy, pure white, identical with the Kaiserin Aug. Victoria except in the

manner of growth, a magnificent rose.

### Climbing Bridesmaid

This is the ever-blooming pink climber, with flowers full and double, free bloom and strong growth so long desired.

### La Marque

Color creamy white, very profuse bloomer. An old favorite.

### Marechal Niel

Marechal Niel, the best known and most popular rose of its class, Flowers very large and double, of a delicious fragrance, color deep golden yellow, truly a magnificent rose.

We have probably the largest stock of grafted Marechal Niels in the

state.

**Mary Washington**

Flowers medium. Pure white, and borne in clusters. Very profuse

bloomer.

**Reine Marie Henrietta**

Flowers large, well formed, borne in clusters, color crimson.

**HYBRID REMONTANT ROSES.**

As a class these are not ever-bloomers, although American Beauty and Madam Chas. Wood are exceptions and bloom almost as constant as Teas and their Hybrids.

**American Beauty**

One of the grandest roses extant, and when well grown, the acme of perfection in its class.

Magnificent flowers of a rich rosy crimson color, lasting and deliciously fragrant. Constant bloomer.

**Barrone Prevost**

Color pure rose, flowers large and well formed.

**Caroline de Sansel**

Flowers large pale flesh one of the best remontants.

**Frau Karl Druschki**

Pure paper-white, large sized and free-flowering with bright heavy foliage and strong, upright growth. The bloom is perfect in form on fine, long stems, and of the purest possible white. There is nothing in the line of perfectly hardy Roses that can compare with this one in form, color, and general finish.

**Madame Chas. Wood**

Crimson sometime shaded with purple. Flowers large and double. Very fragrant, constant bloomer.

**Madame Trotter**

Dark red, velvety, a handsome rose.

**Paul Neyron**

Flowers of immense size; globular, color deep rose, a remarkably handsome variety.

**Giant of Battles**

Color brilliant crimson, large flowers, very desirable.

**Queen of England (Pink American Beauty.)**

A perfect American Beauty in all respects except in color of bloom, is a most lovely shade of bright pink, approaching Mme. Caroline Testout. As the flower grows older it turns to a lovely light pink.

**HYBRID TEA ROSES**

This class is produced by crossing the Teas with Hybrid Remontants and combines to a large extent the free blooming qualities of the Teas with the hardiness of the Remontants.

**Bessie Brown**

Of a distinct type in shape and in color and marvelously beautiful. Erect stems; full deep blooms with enormous petals; white flushed with pink growing deeper toward center.

**Etoile De France**

Vigorous in growth and of strong

constitution soon forming a fine upright bush and troubled with few thorns. Has fine buds, borne singly on long, stiff stems, flowers very large, full and of cup form, dark crimson velvet in color, center vivid cerise. Fragrant and lasting.



**Killarney**

Bright carmine pink, marbled in creamy white; petals extremely large, and of a texture that makes it one of the most lasting roses; this variety has the longest bud on the stiffest stem that we have ever seen; it is a fine grower, with beautiful foliage.

**Lady Battersea (Red Niphetos)**

Lovely wine-red; very long, pointed buds and large, full and double

**Beauty of Stapleford**

Color. Shaded Carmine, finely formed buds.

**Duchess of Albany (Red LaFrance)**

Color deep pink, flower very large, handsome, fine form.

**Kaiserin Augusta Victoria**

Color creamy white, buds large, pointed, flowers full, double. Very fine, hardy and desirable; a grand rose.

**La France**

Color silvery pink, flowers large, of pleasing fragrance, lasting and desirable, hardy.

**Madame Caroline Testout**

Color clear red changing to silvery rose, very handsome, hardy.

**Meteor**

Color, dark velvety crimson, buds finely formed, flowers full and double.

**Mrs. Robert Garrett**

Color clear pink, buds of large size, very fine form.

**My Maryland**

Salmon-pink of a soft and pleasing shade, with long stems and long pointed buds, very full in bloom and exquisitely fragrant.

**Pernet's Triumph. (Triumph de Pernet Pere.)**

Color, bright crimson, buds finely formed, flowers large, petals very broad, thick, handsome and desirable

**President Carnot**

Color shaded pear, buds fine large, borne in clusters on long stiff stems, a distinct variety.

**Striped La France**

Color Silvery pink striped with bright rose, flowers large and handsome.

**Viscountess Folkstone**

Color pale flesh, sometimes almost white, flowers large well built, handsome and striking. Profuse bloomer and hardy.

**White La France (Augustine Guineau)**

Identical with La France except in color which is white, slightly tinged with rose, profuse bloomer.

**William R. Smith**

(Maiden's Blush.) Creamy white, with shadings of pink; a seedling from Maman Cochet and Kaiserin Augusta Victoria; beautiful in form and colors; glossy foliage; long stiff stems; vigorous growth.

**Rhea Reid**

\* Seedling from American Beauty, a free, strong grower, producing heavy canes and large double crimson-scarlet flowers. Extremely free in bloom.

**Richmond**

The freest flowering red rose yet produced; constantly in bloom, a fine grower, very fragrant.

**T E A**

The tea rose combines the delicately beautiful with the most subtle fragrance, and includes every color and combination of colors known to the rose world.

Many of them are not entirely hardy even in the south, but a little protection will carry them through the winter, and they repay with generous measure for the extra care bestowed upon them.

**Aline Sisley**

Color crimson, maroon buds finely formed, flowers very double.

**Bride**

White, sometimes changing to light blush, buds large beautifully formed. Flowers large and handsome.

**Bridesmaid**

Clear pink color resembling Catherine Mermet, buds of beautiful shape and lasting quality excellent for bouquets.

**Bon Silene**

Deep rose color, buds large and handsome. An old favorite.

**Catherine Mermet**

Color clear pink, sometimes shaded salmon, buds and flowers superb.

**Clara Watson**

Color Salmon pink, profuse bloomer and good bedder.

**Clara Barton**

Color delicate pink. Flowers very large and double. Free bloomer, very desirable.

**Coronet**

Color deep carmine; flowers very large and double.

**Coquette de Lyon**

Color canary yellow. Very handsome free bloomer.

**Devoiensis**

Creamy white with rose centre, very handsome buds, profuse bloomer.

**Dorothea**

Color, saffron, shaded orange and yellow, resembles sunset, a beautiful rose.

**Duchess de Brabant**

Color light rose shaded with Salmon; profuse bloomer.

**Enchantress**

Creamy white with buff centre. Flowers large, globular. Remarkably free bloomer.

**Etaile de Lyon**

Golden yellow, sometimes pale straw color, grand rose ought to be in every collection, very hardy.

**Francisca Kruger**

Coppery yellow. Flowers large, splendid bloomer.

**Gerard Desbois**

Color bright rose, handsome buds, an old favorite and still desirable.

**Golden Gate**

Creamy white, tinted golden yellow a very handsome free blooming rose.

**Grace Darling**

Bright rose on yellow ground, beautifully and distinct variety.

**Helen Gould**

Bright crimson, buds and flowers very handsome, one of the most constant bloomers, very hardy, indispensable in every collection of roses.

**Henry M. Stanley**

Color amber rose, tinted with coppery yellow, free bloomer.

**Isabelia Sprunt**

Bright yellow, sometimes pale straw color. Free bloomer, desirable. An old favorite.

**J. B. Varone**

Color crimson on yellow ground. Buds large, long and excellent for bouquets.

**Jules Finger**

Bright Scarlet, shaded crimson, sometimes a deep pink color. Vigorous grower, free bloomer, and hardy as an oak, a grand rose, should be in every collection.

**Ivory**

(White Golden Gate) Pure ivory-white; long, elegantly pointed buds and massive blooms borne on strong stiff stems.



**Madame Welche**

Coppery yellow, shaded pale crimson. Flowers of large size and good quality.

**Madame Lambard**

Bright rose shaded with carmine. Buds and flowers very large, vigorous and hardy.

**Madame Etelenue**

Color bright flesh, shaded pink, large and handsome buds, and full double flowers, a superb rose.

**Madame Schwartz**

White, tinged with rosy blush. Flowers full and of good substance.

**Madame Willermoz**

Pale yellow tinged with pink. Flowers full and double, an old favorite.

**Madam Cochet**

Beautiful clear pink, sometimes silvery rose, superb buds. Flowers very large and double, of fine substance.

**Marie Guillott**

Snow white, sometimes creamy. Buds well formed, flowers full and very double. Constant bloomer, grand rose for bedding.

**Marie Van Houtte**

Pale yellow to creamy white, shaded rose color, buds large. Flowers full. Vigorous grower, very hardy.

**Marion Dingee**

Color rich dark crimson. Beautiful and distinct variety.

**Media**

Color yellow creamy centre, with darker tints, exquisite.

**Papa Gontier**

Color crimson. Buds very large

and showy, good bloomer very desirable.

**Perle des Jardins**

Golden yellow sometimes of lighter color, exquisite buds. Flowers large, fragrant. A grand rose.

**Princess Eonnie**

Color deep crimson. Buds fine, a free bloomer, fragrant.

**Princess Sagan**

Bright crimson, flower of medium size, fragrant.

**Rainbow**

Color deep pink, striped with crimson. Beautiful buds.

**Snowflake**

Pure white flowers of medium size, very free bloomer.

**Suzanne Blanchet**

Silvery white, shaded flesh, buds and flowers large, full handsome.

**Safrano**

Apricot yellow, tinged with rose. Flowers large, double, very attractive.

**White Manmon Cochet**

Color snow white, sometimes tinged with pale blush, superb buds of heavy texture, flowers handsome of good substance. Vigorous grower, ought to be in every collection.

**Winnie Davis**

Color Pink, shaded Apricot buds, large well formed flowers handsome, a beautiful and distinct variety.

PRICE—of grafted roses 50 cents each, \$5.00 per dozen.

Two Year roses on own roots, 35 cents each. \$4 per dozen.

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